

H. B. 408, a bill to authorize the sheriff of Tyrrell county to collect arrears of taxes, pass their several readings, and are ordered to be engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 451, a substitute for House bills 32, 146, 219 and 298, bills entitled "an act to amend section 1, chapter 13, Laws of 1880, is put on its readings. Amendments are offered, and, on motion of Mr. Manning, the bill, with the amendments, is referred back to the Judiciary committee, with the view of making the bill of general application.

H. B. 258, a bill to authorize the town of Salisbury to aid in the completion of its graded schools, passes its second reading by the following vote :

Ayes—Messrs. Blaisdell, Bigelow, Bledsoe, Blythe, Bradshaw, Brooks of Transylvania, Bryson, Bunting, Carter, Chappel, Davis of Haywood, Davis of Madison, Day, Deans, Dunn, Gaither, Gardin, Gatling, Gentry, Glenn of Rockingham, Glenn of Stokes, Granger, Græber, Gwyn, Hamrick, Hanner, Harper, Hays, Hicks, Horney, Holton, Hood, Johnson, Joyner, Kilpatrick, Leak, Lineback, Manning, Morrison, McClure, McCauley, McEachern, Neal, Newell, Nicholson, Page, Pasour, Pool, Pritchett, Ragsdale, Ray, Robbins, Roberts, Rowland, Savage, Smedes, Smith, Snipes, Sparrow, Sykes, Tate, Taylor, Terrell, Thomas, Toon, Turner of Stanly, Turrentine, Wall, Walker, Washburn, Webster, Winstead and Worthington—73.

Nays—None.

Mr. Bunting moves to adjourn, and the House refuses to adjourn.

H. B. 195, a bill to amend section 8 of chapter 29 of Battle's Revisal, regulating the payment of costs by counties from which causes of action and criminal offences have been removed, on motion of Mr. Riggs is referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

S. R. 198, H. R. 77, a resolution requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to use their influence to se-